

ALEXANDRIA. THUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 3.

MR. HENRY CAROT LODGE has reached the deliberate conclusion, and prints it in the current number of the Century Magazine, that in point of intellectual ability the North far exceeds the South, and that slavery is the cause thereof, as it is incompatible with a high degree of civilization, and limits the range of mental activity. Mr. Lodge arrived at this sapient conclusion by counting the names and pictures contained in a northern biographical cyclopedia, edited by a northern man, thousands of which were never heard of outside of their own townships. Why one county alone in Virginia has produced more really distinguished men than the whole State of Massachusetts, among them General Washington, Light Horse Harry Lee, Richard Henry Lee, the mover of the Declaration of Independence; Francis Lightfoot, Lee, a signer of that declaration; Charles Lee, U. S. Attorney General; Arthur Lee, one of the negotiators of the French treaty in the Revolutionary War; Presidents Monroe and Madison, and the most distinguished man of the war between the States, Robert Edward Lee, all of whom were born and reared, under what Mr. Lodge calls the hideous, degrading, and dwarfing system of slavery, and all of whom were slave owners, as were all the signers of the Declaration of Independence except those from Massachasetts and one or two other States. The intellectual ability of these men is recognized throughout the civilized world, and their names will be preserved as along as history shall be printed. Mr. Lodge competes with his more famous political ally, Mr. "Johnny" Davenport, for the authorship of the Force bill. He is unquestionably scholastic, but his intellect is weak.

THE NEGRO city councilman elected by the republicans of Baltimore has raised a great fues in that city by appointing a negro boy to a scholarship in the Maryland Institate of Art and Design. The boy will hardly be allowed to attend the school, but if he shall be, his life will be any thing else than agreeable. But his appointment has made the man who appointed him notorious, and that is glory enough for the latter. No, not a quarter of a century of freedom and free schools and suffrage has imparted understanding to the negro, nor would if extended to infinity. The Ethiopian's nature

ago."

The following changes in the 4th class postoffices of Virginia were made to-day: Locust Lane, Scott county, J. F. Horn appointed postmaster, vice M. Collins, resigned; Vigor, Louisa county, M. E. Turner, vice W. S. Nuckails, deceased. is as unchangeable as his skin.

THE COMMISSIONERS of the proposed Chicago fair, having already squandered the people's money appropriated for that fair, yesterday determined to ask Congress for an additional sum of from five to seven million dollars. As the security funds in the national treasury have now to be used in payment of the current expenses of the government, it is hardly possible that a democratic Congress will grant any such request in aid of a local affair, which the most influential and reliable newspaper in Chicago says, is being conducted in the interest of a sectional partisan organization.

MRS HARRISON'S relatives, according to Secretary Foster's ideas, are better than the other people of the country. A government vessel was sent to meet them on their return from Europe, and to take them and their baggage from the ocean steamer and convey them to New York, where the baggage was exempt from inspection. Mrs. Astor's baggage, a few weeks before, was inspected, and some of her gowns seized and sold by order of the same Mr. Foster. At home Mr. Foster is known as "Calico Charley," and that name suits him to a t.

JUDGE HOUK, of Kaneas, yesterday informed a lawyer who had argued a motion in favor of setting aside the legal foreclosure of a mortgage, that he had no case, and that if he had accepted a fee from his client he ought to be prosecuted for obtaining money under false pretenses. If all such demagogues were similarly treated the people would get along much better. Borrowers are as much benefited as lenders of money, but if borrowed money can not be recovered, no more will be lent.

THE Methodists of Kansas, Mr. Peffer's own State, many of whom supported his election to the U. S. Senate, yesterday, in conference assembled, denounced him for asserting that the Farmers' Alliance, an oath-bound political organization, has superceded the churches. Some of the Alliance people are very proper men, but it is a patent fact that they have been exceedingly unfortunate in the selection of some of their

THE prolonged delay in the resumption of navigation, and the early resumption of breaks, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal. are by no means conducive to the belief that the new management of that canal will be more successful, so far at least as its trade is concerned, than its predecessor.

#### FROM WASHINGTON. [Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3, 1891. John M. Aylor was to-day appointed a U. S. gauger at Dulinsville, Virginia. It is reported at the Health Office of this

city to-day that Mr. M. V. Mason of Prince William county, Virginia, will be appointed to a place in that office, and that Dr. Roy of Fredericksburg, Virginia, one of the physicians to the poor, will be removed. Doctor, however, has a strong political backing, and his friends say still has a chance of being retained. Senator Call of Florida, who is spending covery.

the summer in this city, which he says is as healthy as any other place in the country, says he has no doubt that his re-election will be declared valid, as the U. S. Senate, in the Montana case, after discussing the question involved exhaustively, decided that a majority of a whole legislature, not of such separate branch thereof, could elect a Seu-

Mr. Draney, who contracted to collect the garbage of this city for \$15 030 s year has and perhaps \$7,000,000. thrown up his contract, and abandoned His sureties have been informed that unless the work be resumed by moon to-morrow, the city authorities will find men to do it. Forty thousand dollars were appropriated by Congress for the work, and Draney says it cannot be done efficiently for less than that sum.

Handreds of people have visited the 7th street wharf here to-day to view the scene of the steamboat fire this morning. The fire broke out in the boiler-room of the Corcoran, while she was moored to the wharf, about six o'clock, and in a few minutes the whole boat was enveloped in flames. Her officers and crew, who were aboard, at once cast loose her lines and jumped ashore, but instead of floating away she drifted up towards the stern of the Leary, lying at an adjacent wharf, and set that boat afice also, but the latter's crew were at work with their hose at the time washing her, and were thus enabled to keep down the flames until the tog D. M. Keys attached a line to the Corcoran and towed her to the opposite flats, where she was entirely consumed. The Wakefield and Macalester were lying in their adjoining docks, but the former was not hurt, and the latter only had the fringe around her awning burned. A small negro bootblack, named Robinson, was on the Corcoran when she was cast loose, and following the foolish advice of some body on the wharf who told him to jump overboard, before a row boat that was coming to his relief could reach him, was drowned. His body was subsequently recovered. The Corcoran was insured, for \$35,000, and the

Leary also, but the damage to the latter will not amount to \$1,000. The Norfolk boat did not arrive until the fire was over. Had the wind been blowing from the west the conflagration would have been extensive. A well-informed and observant correspondent of western republican newspapers who has just returned from a visit to Ohio and Indiana, says the prevailing impression on the subject among the leading republicans in both those States is that President Harrison will be renominated, not be-

cause he is popular with his party, but because of Mr. Biaine's bad health.

The Attorney General has received a telegram from the U.S. Marshal of the scuthern district of Alabama, saying that a mob of fifty persons had driven a number of families out of their homes in Cccctaw county, Ala. Most of them fled into Mississippi, and left their homes, crops and cattle unguarded. The Attorney General replied that the facts stated did not constitute a case calling for Federal interference. He suggested, however, that the matter be reported to the State authorities for such action as they doem necessary.

The President is not expected to return to the White House until the 20th inst, and Mr. Blaine's return is indefinite.

It is easily at the hyrest of printing and engrav-

It is said at the bureau of printing and engraving that the recent trouble between the knights of labor and that bureau has been settled, but only because the knights abandoned their ground.

and agreed to work in accordance with the old rules of the bureau.

All the information received from Chili te-day at the departments was comprised in the follow-ing cablegram received from Admiral Brown, dated Valpariso September 3d: Business fully resumed. Everything quiet. Congressional com-mittee, including two cabinet ministers, arrived from lquique, Chill, yesterday, and go to Santi-

# VIRGINIA NEWS.

The wife of Mr, T. P. Campbell, president of the Richmond common council, died yesterday evening from consumption.

At Richmond yesterday the case of W. S. Dashiell for forging the name of J. L. Ludwig was sent to the Hustings Court.

Onio and Mississippi Railroads are unfound-

While the son of Dr. Trumbo, of Linden, was out fishing last Tuesday, a book caught in his eye ball and his sight was at one time de-paired, of but he is now better.

The bear which escaped from a man who bad it, in Strasburg, is still wandering around in the neighborhood of Orlean. It

is about the size of a sheep. The immense engines for the battle-ship Texas, which are being constructed as the

Richmond Locomotive and Machine Works, are now being set up to undergo a trial test, The sales of leaf tobacco in the Danville market for the past eleven months amount

to 38 700,000 pounds, an increase over the eales for the same period last year of 14,-770,000 pounds. Mr. C. G. Massey, of White Post, has been appointed and duly qualified to fill the office of county superintendent of public schools

of Clarke county, made vacant by the resignation of W. F. Meade, e.q. The Facquier democratic committee have recommended Saturday, September 19th, for the date of the joint convention of Fauquier and Londone, but it cannot be definitely determined upon until Loudoun is heard

from. The Eniscopal church in Aldie will be consecrated on the Sih of the present month. Bishops Whittle, Randolph and Dudley will be present, each asisting in the services. thus making the occasion one of much in-

Thos. S. Chamblin, near White Post, Clarke county, has purchased 253 acres of the farm of the late Dr. O. B. Fuoston, near the double toll-gate on the Front Royal and Winchester turnpike, paying forty-seven dollars and seventeen cents per acre.

Two other monuments are to be erected at Lexington, one to Gen. Francis H. Smith, the father and for half a century the superintendent of the Virginia Military Institute, and the other, a sultable memorial of the gallant cadet boys who fell at the battle of New Market in 1861.

On an old tombstone in the cemetery of Quantico church, Dettingen parish, Prince William county, Va., is the following: "Here lies Wm. Dunlop, merchant, son of Alexander Duniop, Greek professor in the University of Glasgow, who died December 21st, 1739, aged 52 years."

There are fifty delegates in attendance on There are fifty delegates in attendance on the Grand Ludge of Virginia Independent Order of Good Templars in Norfolk, which at the session on Tuesday sustained the action the session on Tuesday sustained the action of the extra session of the Grand Lodge in severing connection with the Worthy Grand Lodge, and changed the name from Inde-pendent Order of Good Templars to Good Templars of America.

## Cooked to Death

PETERBOROUGH, Ont., Sept .- A shocking afchild belonging to a couple living in this place was ratio N. Slater, the many times millionaire, of webster, Mass is soon to marry Miss Mabei Hunt, taken with a fit, and the old fashioned remedy of hot water was tried. The water not being suffi-ciently warm, a pan containing the child was put New York architect. Mr. Slater is credited with on a hot stove and, either through carelessness or ignorance, the child was slowly cooked. The child was finally snatched from the stove by a neighbor but it was then beyond all hope of re-

SEWS OF THE DAY.

Three hundred thousand bushels of wheat was exported yesterday from Baltimore. It is reported that England will send

fleet to the Dardanelles to watch Russia. Joseph L. Howard, colored, captured an alligator in a sewer in Baltimore yesterday Congress is to be seked to loan the World's Columbian Exposition \$5,000 000 at least,

Emperor William and Chancellor von Caprivi will meet Emperor Francis Joseph and witness the Austrian military maneuv-

It is now said that Gen. James W. Wadaworth will be substituted for Prof. Andrew D. White as the republican candidate for

Governor of New York, Edward Linn, a well known stock broker of Wall street, New York, committed suicide in Jersey City yesterday by shooting

himself through the head. A dispatch from Shanghai says a riot broke out at Ichang on Tuesday. All the mission and foreign property was burned.

No fatalities are reported. The National World's Fair Commission y, lying at an discussed the Sunday opening, but reached that boat no conclusion. The Ladies' Board have

elected Mrs. Susan Gale Cook secretary. Miss Ida Hewett is engineer on the Cairo and Kanawha Valley Railroad in West Virginia. She is said to be the only female engineer regularly employed in the United

Geo. R. Woods, aged 22 years, an assist ant of an aeronant, became entangled in the ropes as the balloon was ascending as Oswego, N. Y., yesterday, and a moment later, alling, was killed instantly.

It is now shown that Turkey's action in permitting a Russian war-ship to pass through the Dardanelles is not such a serious breach of the treaty as to require a formal protest from the powers, M. Zoia declaree that France is now ready

to reverge Sedan and sweep the German Empire out of existence, and German newspaper admit that Germany must soon fight again to hold what she won in 1870 71. Henry Wilson, of St. Louis, who was in

Austria at the time, says the Crown Prince Rudoiph did not commit suicide, but that about seventeen blocks, and the total loss is esti-Prince Auraperg shot him on a hunt because mated at \$420,000. he had inveigled his sieter into trouble. In accordance with his privilege as city

councilman, Henry S. Cummings, colored councilman of the eleventh ward, in Baltimore, has appointed Harry T. Pratt, color ed, to a three-year scholarship in the Maryland Institute School of Art and Design.

The St. Paul Wasther Bureau has infor mation that an area of high pressure of great magnitude has appeared over that portion of the British possessions north of Washington state. It will bring severe and killing frosts over nearly all the Northwest and several of the states configuous thereto be together with the cottage adjoining belonging to ween now and Friday murning.

During a severe rain storm at Grand sland, Neb., where the State Grand Army and Sons of Veterans' reunion is being held a lightning bolt struck the camp yesterday Two lieutenants and four sergeants of caval ry Troop K were stated in the first ser-geant's tent. The lightning struck the ent, scattering the splinters in all directors. Nine men were struck and stunned.

Sister Beatrice May, or Mrs. Mary E Oilver, the bogus nun, who once figured as The great fault is with the laws. complaintant in a \$50,000 suit for breach of In our county (Fairfax) we are promise against Senator Came: on, of Pennylvania, and who was arrested for begging in New York recently, was yesterday sent to the city prison for one month, because she could not offer substantial proof of her so-called work of charity. All persons to whom she applied for aid repudiated her.

The feeling between the Vatican and the Onlrinal, in Rome, is increasing in bitterness, and the opinion is gaining in ecclesiastical circles that the next Pope must be s foreigner. The Osservatore Romano in an article which is regarded as written for the purpose of paving the way for the holding of a conclave abroad, says that the departure It is stated that the rumors concerning a of the Pope from Rome is quite possible if consolidation between the Chesapeake and the general situation in Italy becomes Worse.

late father, following him even to his rest at Copenhagen TheCzar has never taken kindiv to bis natural brothers and sisters, whose existence he makes to oppose iment of reparding as a stigma on the imperial house of Rusels, being himself a man of strict morality in his family relations. The latest applicant his pains.

## An Escape from Siberia.

The harrowing descriptions of the ead fate of the prisoner in Siberia given by Mr. Kenoan, are amply confirmed, save the Berlin correspondent of the London News, by a Russian named Jacob Koton, who has escaped from Siteria and is now in Breslau. anbatance of hisetory is as follows: He was the son of a well-to-do miller in Russian Poand. In the year 1863 Koton, then nineteen years of age, took part in the Polish insurrection, and in a skirmish near his native place he received a severe gunshot wound in the left foot and was taken prisoner by the Russians. He was thereupon transported to Vilna and condemned by General Muravieff to exile for life in Siberia. At Tarbogolal, to which the exile was taken, he was obliged to get his living by hunting. He soon became homesick in this fearful wilderness, the climate of which was killing him, and defying all dangers he made an attempt to escape, but was seized at Tomek and sen-tenced to three months' arrest in a fortress. A second attempt brought him to Moscow,

a third to Grodno. Six months and finally a year's imprisonment in a fortress were his punishments, and each time he was transported back to Tarbogotal. Koton now-at least for a timegave up all further attempts to escape, and worked hard to save a sum of money in order then to try his luck again. In the spring of the year 1888 the exile had saved about 4000 roubles, the fruit of twenty five years' work as a hunter, and now he again thought of escaping. On a dark night he left Tarbogotai. went from one calues to the other, far from high roads. After a dangerous and fearfu! journey of several months, which cost him nearly the whole of his fortune, and after crossing the Ural and gaining Ekaterinenburg and St. Petersburg, he at last reached Stockholm via. Helsingfors. But, fir ding no assistance any He could not remain there either, but was escorted to the German frontier after marches of many long weeks. Then, traveling via. Cologne, Munich and Vienna, he at last reached Breslau.

FATHER AND SON TO MARRY SISTERS .- A double engagement, strange because of the relationship of the contracting parties, and notably PETERBOROUGH, Ont., Sept. A shocking affair has just come to light here. A two-year old concerned, is announced from Bar Harbor, Hothe younger daughter of the late William Morris complicated relationship in the Slater family,

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A very sharp frost this morning injured vegetation in the vicinity of Boone, Io #s. The assignment of the central market company doing business at Chicago has seen announced with liabilities of \$160,000.

A handsome monument to mark the posttion held by the Illinois soldiers on the battle field of Getty-burg was dedicated to-day. The Fourth National Bank of New York as decided to emulate the example set by

European bankers last fall and lend money without interest to importers of gold while the gold is in transit; The rumor that there would be an appliation made to-day for the appointment of a receiver for the Union Pacific made quite a

stir on Wall street, New York, this morning. It was promptly denied by Sidney Dillon. A lady in St. Catharines, Oat., whose relatives reside in England near those of the man Birchall, who was executed in Woodstock last fall, has received a letter stating that Birchall's wife was quietly married at

place called Red Bank there, within six

weeks after her arrival home from Canada. On Tuesday Constable Snyder, while serving a warrant on a man for robbing a melon patch in Crawford county, Ind., was fired upon by the thief's companions and fatally shot. They then turned upon the constable's brother, whose property they had stolen, and shot him through the ung, infl cting a fatal wound

Dr. C. L. Sleich, of Berlin, while experimenting with a view of determining how weak a solution of cocaine would prove efficacious as a local an esthetic in minor surgical operations, stumbled upon the fact that simple water injected under the skin with a syringe repders the flesh at that point insensible to pain.

At Frazier, Ind. Ter., on Tuesday, on the Red river, Poland, a Kiowa chief, was shot and instantly killed by Bob Booheir, a cow boy. The trouble came up over some cattle. Trouble is feared and troops have been sent for.

A fire at The Dallas, Org , yesterday nearly laid the town in ruins. The burned district covers

The schooner Pannonio, with 12 persons aboard, has been wrecked on the reefs to the northwest of the Hawaiian Islands, and all on board were ost. The crew numbered seven men, nearly all

At the National Columbian Commission meetng in Chicago to-day the nomination of L. W. Robinson, an engineer in the U.S. Navy, to be chief of the department of machinery was confirmed.

Jos. Ellis.

### The Roads.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette: I am glad to see that you are calling at-

tention to the necessity of good roads in our State. The best way to induce people to settle among us is to have good roads and such that are in good condition all the year.

In our county (Fairfax) we are compelled to work two days each year or pay a fine of 75cts. per day. Now everyone knows that but little work can be done in that short time and what is done is only half done at that. I have worked all day long on the road shoveling sand out of a ditch into the road and a few days later rain has washed it all back again.

The overseers wait till late in the fall and call out the force and work a few hundred vards and this is all that is done till the next year, and while the present laws are in force it is all that will be done. Now why can't we have such a law as I am told they have in Maryland? Lat the road taxes go to the roads, and see that they do. Put the work out at contract to the lowest responsible bidder, pay him the tax money and as The Czar is said to be much irritated by much more as is necessary to give him one the appearance of another natural son of his or two men as help, and let him keep the roads in order and be responsible, by his bond for doing so. The authorities don't seem to care if we have bridges or not They are put at unimportant places, where but few people pass and at the most important places they say they are not needed Such is the case at Cameron run crossing on for recognition, therefore, although no doubt genuine, is not likely to get much for travel over it than any leading to your city and we poor country devils can get that far after a heavy storm and there we have to stop, in eight of the city, or go around several miles over a horrid road to the bridge over Huntleg Creek. Keep up your good work, Mr. Editor, and perhaps in the dim distant future we may see good 1 ads and bridges also in this section. FAIRFAX.

# MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK, Sept. 3 .- The stock market continues to show a decreasing volume of business and at the opening this morning the trading was only moderate. The temper was still bearish, however, and first prices were all from 14 to % per cent, lower than last night's figures. Further concessions of small fractions were made in the leading active stocks, but the general list displayed an advancing tendency. Among the low priced shares, the Chesapeake and Ohios were remarkably strong, and the first preferred rose 214 to 551/2. The later dealings were marked by no feature of interest and at 11 o'clock the market was comparatively quiet and steady with prices generally at a shade better than first figures.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Sept. 3.-The market to-day is quiet. There is no change in Flour. Wheat is 1c lower, and sales are made at 80a108 for common to prime. Corn is quiet at 60,66. There is no change in Rye or Oats.

CALTIMORE, Sept. 3 Flour active and uncharged. Wheat—No 2 red unsettled; seet 104% a104%; Dec 105% a105%; Steamer No 2 red 97%, 97%; Dec 105% a105%; steamer No 2 red 97%, 97%; Southern easy; Fultz 95a106; longberry 98a 106. Corn—mixed steady; spot 67% asked; Sept 68; year 55%; Southern dull; white 67a69; yellow 68a70. Oats active at steady prices; No 2 white Western 39 asked; No 2 mixed Western 36 asked. Bye fairly steady; No 2 98 neminal. Hay steady; good to choice timethy \$13 50a 14 50. SALTIMORE, Sept. 3 Flour active and un-

CHICAGO, Sept. 3-11:00 a. m.-Wheat-Sept 97%; Dec 100%. Corn—Cet 58%; year 49%. Oats—Oct 29%; May 33 Pork—Oct \$10 42%. Lard—Oct \$6 80; Jan \$7 07% Short riba—Oct \$7; Jan \$6 92%.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Cotton quiet; uplands 8½; Orleans 815-16; futures steady. Flour quiet and heavy. Wheat active and firm. Corn dull and stronger. Pork dull and steady at \$10s. 12. Lard quiet and firmer at \$7.10.

MARINE NEWS. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, SEPT. 3, 1891. ABRIVED.

Schr J C Haynes, Kennebec, ice to F A Reed

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ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES.

From Chini.

VALPARAISO, Chin, Sept 2 -One of Balseeda's most ardeat supporters, Daputy Verduga, was captured to day at Talca, while he was making his way out of the country, with the purpose, it is supposed, of joining his fleeing oblef, either at Buenos Ayres or in Europe. He was taken to Santiago and turned over to the authorities. He carried with him \$300,000 to Obilian bank notes and \$800,000 in drafts on Lon don. This, of course, was promptly confiscated by the representatives of the Junta. There is little doubt but that Balmaceda is making his way over the Andes, through the South Pass. It would be impossible to stop him now. No further news has been received here from the mob-stricken town of Coronel. The provincial government has taken steps which will result in the restoration of order there in a short time. It is al together probable that it may require some fighting to get the reballious soldiers and miners under sut jection, and it is rafe to say that the ringleadors will be shot as soon as they are cantured.

Saniiago, Sept. 2 -- General Baquedano o-day issued a proclamation turning over the government to the Junta de Gobierno, and requesting Intendentes and officials of all grades to obey the orders of that body until an election can be held, a new President elected and a constitutional government formed. The Junta has already appointed the principal officials for Valparaiso, Santiago and the other leading cities of the repub-

Pennsylvania Democrats.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 3 -The State democratic convention was called to order at 10 30 o'clock this morning. The representation in the convention consists of 461 delegates.

Willis Bland, of Reading, was chosen temporary chairman, and made a speech predicting victory for the ticket to be nominated and saying that they people of Pennsylvania loved the teachings of their own prophet, Grover Cleveland.

The usual committees were appointed and the convention at 12 o'clock took a recess

The afternoon session began at 2 o'clock when Hon. George W. Skinner of Falton county was made permanent chairman.

The platform renews pledges of devotion to the principles of the party; is in favor of limiting expenses and reducing taxation to meet the actual necessities of government; of a sound and stable currency based on gold and sliver, coined and circulated in such proportions as will keep them on a parity; of a reform and revision of the tariff. of liberal, but just pension laws, and of all well considered legislation tending to increase the rewards and lighten the burdens of labor, and arraigns and condemns the republican party of Pennsylvania for electing men to State and municipal offices, by whose neglect of duty, complicity in fraud and plunder of the public treasury a million and a-half dollars of the people's money have been stolen and squandered.

Military Manouvres in Europe.

LONDON, Sept 3 -In France, in Aleace-Lorraine, and in Austria, immense bodies of troops were set in motion to-day, this being the date fixed for the graund army manon- we will offer six hundred pairs vres of France, Germany and Austria. These military movements are being watched with the most feverish attention by the military In White and Scarlet, from \$400 men and diplomats of Europe. Changes in military organization, improved equipments, emokeless powder, and new rifles are having their real campaign test, and much may depend upon the result. It is expected that millions of cartridges will be fired before these manoeuvres terminate on Monday next. The general idea of the Austrian military operations is to arrest the progress of an imaginary enemy advancing from the direction of Bohemia upon Vienna.

VIENNA, Sept. 3 .- Emperor William of Germany, accompanied by Chancellor Von Caprivi, this morning met Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, who was accompanied by the King of Saxony, and the entire party, surrounded by brilliant military suites and escorts of cavalry, proceeded to the headquarters of the Austrian army engaged in the manouvres.

## Foreign News.

London, September 3.-At the stock exchange here this morning Louisville and Nashville shares declined 1 per cent. and Norfolk and Western preferred ? per cent. and the other American railroads | s 2 per cent. Later the market became steadier. PARIS, Sept. 3 -M. D'Hubart, editor of the Le Gil Blas, and M. Taurent, editor of Le Jour, fought a duel to-day near this city. M. D'Hubart was wounded in the face.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 3 .- The announcement is made to-day that the Sultan has dismissed from office the grand vizier and president of the council, Kiamil Pasha. It is thought probable that Djevad Pasha. governor of the island of Crete, will be Kismil Pasha's successor.

Skeletons Found. CATHAGE, Itis., Sept. 3 .- The Sweeny

burial grounds near here were yesterday opened. Most of the stones on being removed crumbled away. Under them was found an immense quantity of bones and many skulls. The bones indicate that the men must have been from 6 to 7 feet tall. Several skeletons, perfect in form, lay huddled together as if they had fallen in battle. It is believed that fully 500 corpses were buried there. There are several mounds in the vicinity that have not yet been opened, but they give evidence of containing as many skeletons as the first one.

bycicle when a crowd of bystanders collect- aug 31

ed and made remarks. Finally when one the crowd named Boharijhak approached Guenther, the latter drew his revolver and shot the other in the thigh. Frank Smith ran to his comrade's assistance when Guen. ther fired twice one builet taking fatal effect in his abdomen.

The Order of Foresters.

DETROIT, Mich , Sept. 3. - The Independent Order of Foresters supreme court yesterday unanimously struck out from the constitution the provision allowing separate jurisdiction, thus effectively inveighing against the scheme to separate the Michigan jurisdiction from the main body. Dr. Oronyhatekha was re elected S. C. R. Tha next session will be held in 1893 in Chicago.

Royalties for Chicago

LONDON, Sept. 3 -The Chronicle says the Prince of Wales has all but decided to go to Chicago, and is likely to be accompanied by Emperer William of Germany, at the time of the world's fair; also that the model of Nelson's flagship, the Victory, will be sent to the fair.

Murderer Lynched.

ATLANTA, Ga, Sept. 3. William Allen, the negro who shot and fatally wounded E. J. Myers, Marshal at Guyton, Ga., paid the penalty of his crime last night. He was taken from the officers who had him in charge, and carried to the woods, chained to a tree and shot to death.

Military Uses of Bicycles. The use of bicycles in the military service of

European nations seems likely to be a permanent feature. In Switzerland legislation is proposed for organizing divisions of bicyclists in the standing army and militia. To each staff is to be al letted a certain number of wheelmen, the general staff having one officer and fifteen privates. Ger-many has made a number of experiments with many has made a number of experiments with bicyclists in delivering dispatches and sconting in sham battles. Bicycle schools are attached to most of the garrisons in Belgium, and the value of the wheel is fully appreciated by the military authorities of other European countries. In the United States military use of the bicycle is confued so far to the militia service. At the recent encampment of the Connecticut National Guards the drill of a bicycle corps was an interesting addition to the ordinary maneuvers. Armed with Coll's repeating expline and with a revolver. Colt's repeating carbine and with a revolver, a man mounted on a bicycle, according to a report to the War Department by Lieut. W. H. Bowen. can travel in many places where it would be impossible to take a horse and can be at the "flag" in sending messages. In Lieutenant Bowen's opinion the bicycle service will be advisable as messengers, patrol and advance guards, and he suggests to the War Department the feasibility of extended experiments in that line.

The steamer Karlsruhe arrived at Balt more vesterday with 737 steerage passenger About 200 of them are Russian refogees.

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